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2023-2024 Teaching and Learning Grants

The Office of the Provost is pleased to announce the **2023-24 Teaching and Learning grants**. The program will award $1,000 grants to faculty and instructional academic staff to support entrepreneurial projects that enhance teaching and learning in the following areas during the 2023-2024 academic year:

- Up to 25 grants supporting projects related to fostering **inclusivity and civil discourse**
- Up to 25 grants supporting projects related to the use of generative **artificial intelligence (AI)** as a tool for student learning

Examples of **inclusivity and civil discourse** projects may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Redesigns of class content/readings to reflect and foster intellectual diversity
- Implementation of creative initiatives that support differentiated instructional needs
- Creation of inclusive syllabi, assignments, and class activities
- Course redesigns that include faculty and student co-creation of classroom culture
- Implementation of strategies that build a strong sense of belonging and foster student interaction

Examples of **artificial intelligence (AI)** projects may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Create personalized/adaptive learning experiences for students related to AI
- Develop original lesson plans/class activities using AI
- Generate innovative forms of assessment
- Increase the quality of feedback on student work
- Cultivating student career-readiness skills related to using AI in the workplace

NOTE: Individuals may only receive one Teaching and Learning Grant, regardless of topic.

Recipient Responsibilities:

1) Full project plan that builds on the application abstract by December 1, 2023. The project plan should identify the project's dissemination within the university (see below).
2) Share the project's outcomes with the university. Examples include a conference presentation/poster session at the May 2024 UWW Celebrating Teaching and Learning conference, an activity/event to the university community (e.g., lead a collaborative workshop with the LEARN Center and/or Learning Technology Center), or an asynchronous resource that can be made available on-demand to instructors (e.g., a recorded video series).
3) There will be optional but encouraged planning meetings in November and March for grant recipients to gather and share their project plans and provide status updates.

Timeline (2023-2024)

September 22nd: Proposals due
October 13th: Grant applicants notified
December 1st: Full project plan due
First stipend ($500) initiated after selection

January-April: Complete project
May 15th: Project's outcomes shared
Second stipend ($500) issued by end of 9-month contract, contingent on completion

Click here to apply for a 2023-2024 Teaching and Learning Grant